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Erich Bott et al

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AMENDMENT A

Dear Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Office Action dated May 1, 2008, having a response due date of August 1, 2008. Please charge Deposit Account No. 502786 for any deficiency or overpayment.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims, as reflected in the listing of claims, begin on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.